

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF NORTH BRUNSWICK
AUTHORIZING AN AMENDMENT TO AGREEMENT WITH
BRIAN T. GOLDENFARB TO SERVE AS
CONFLICT PUBLIC DEFENDER

WHEREAS, Resolution 74-2.14 approved by the Township Council authorized Brian T. Goldenfarb (2 Tower Center Boulevard, 19th Floor, East Brunswick, New Jersey 08816) to perform the duties as Conflict Public Defender in the North Brunswick Municipal Court for the remainder of calendar year 2014; and

WHEREAS, Brian T. Goldenfarb has agreed to be compensated for these services at a rate of \$200.00 per session, for regular and special sessions as scheduled by the Court Administrator, \$50.00 per Court Administration approved consultation, and reimbursable expenses in an amount not to exceed \$2,500.00 for the remainder of calendar year 2014; and

WHEREAS, due to the unanticipated increase in conflicts with appointed Public Defender Mike Policastro, it has become necessary to increase the authorized amount from \$2,500.00 to \$4,500.00, a net increase of \$2,000.00; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Financial Officer has certified that additional funds in the amount of \$2,000.00 are available in FY2015 Public Defender OE budget account 5-01-43-495-000-18; and

WHEREAS, the Local Public Contracts Law (N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1, et seq.) requires that a resolution authorizing the award of contract for "professional services" without competitive bids must be publicly advertised.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED on this 17th day of November, 2014 that the Township Council does hereby authorize the Mayor to execute and the Township Clerk to witness an amendment to the agreement with Brian T. Goldenfarb to increase the authorized amount from \$2,500.00 to \$4,500.00.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this contract amendment is awarded without competitive bidding as a "professional service" under the provisions of the Local Public contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(1) since this contract is for services performed by a business authorized to practice a recognized profession and it was not necessary to obtain competitive bidding.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED notice of this action shall be published in the Home News & Tribune as required by law within 10 (ten) days after its passage.

CERTIFICATION

I, Kala Sriranganathan, Chief Financial Officer, certify that \$2,000.00 is available for this purpose in account 5-01-43-495-000-181. Contract PRO14031.

Kala Sriranganathan
Chief Financial Officer

Robert Lombard
Business Administrator

Ronald Gordon, Esq.
Township Attorney
Approved as to legal form

RECORDED VOTE:

COUNCIL MEMBER	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	NOTES
NARRA				
ANDREWS				
CORBIN				
DAVIS				
SOCIO				
NICOLA				
MAYOR WOMACK				

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was duly adopted by the Township Council of the Township of North Brunswick, County of Middlesex, at its meeting held on February 3, 2014.

Lisa Russo
Township Clerk

C. S. Kossmann
J. Kugel
K. Sriranganathan
B. Goldenfarb
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